Curriculum Vitae

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Professional Experience:

At the Department of English, King Saud University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

- Professor of English 1997
- Associate Professor 1991
- Assistant Professor 1983
- Teaching Assistant 1977

Education:

PhD in English Literature: Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan, USA (1982).

- Qualifying Exam:
- 1. The British Novel from Fielding to the Modern Age
- 2. 19th Century British Literature
- 3. The Bronte Sisters
- **Dissertation:** Bronte's Journey to the East: The Romantic Quest in Her Fiction.

MA in English Literature: Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, California, USA (1978).

• Comprehensive Exam: The English Romantic Writer

BA in English Language and Literature: Riyadh University, KSA (1974).

Publications:

- 1. "In a Melting Pot of Autobiography: Pickthall's *With the Turk in Wartime* and the Cause of Islam." *Arab World English Journal for Translation & Literary Studies* 5.4 (2021): 2-16. DOI: http://dx.doi.org/10.24093/awejtls/vol5no4.1
- 2. Marmaduke Pickthall Reinstated: What Canon? Partridge, 2016.
- 3. "Islam and Human Life: Beyond Ancient Needs." *Journal of Business Inquiry* 13.1(2014).
- 4. "Coleridge's 'Ballad of the Dark Ladie': The Story between the Lines." *Arab World English Journal* 4.14 (November 2013).
- 5. "Acts of Negation: Modality and Spatiality in *The Satanic Verses*." *Jordan Journal of Modern Languages and Literature 5.3* (December 2013): 83-98.
- 6. "Negation, Selection and Substitution: Charlotte Bronte's Feminist Poetics." *English Studies* 93.7 (October 2012).
- 7. "Space versus Place in Rushdie's Satanic Verses." Tchibozo, G., Ed. Proceedings of the International Congress of Humanities and Social Sciences Research (24-28 July). Strasbourg (France): Analytrics, 2012. 287-294.
- 8. "Postmodernism in Second, Third and Fourth World Literatures: Postcolonial Literary Theory." *Postcolonial Readings: Essays in Literature and Language*. Dammam's College of Arts, 2006. Al Motanabi Bookshop, 2007. 2-28.
- 9. "Authenticity versus Diversity in *The Rock*." *Postcolonial Readings: Essays in Literature and Language Textual Readings in Postcolonial Strategies*. Dammam's College of Arts, 2006. Al Motanabi Bookshop, 2007. 29-40.

- 10. "Life Transfigured into Art: A Critical Review of *The Rock and Other Poems*." *Journal of King Saud University (Arts)* 17.2 (2005). 101-06.
- 11. Trans. "The Arabic Drama." *The Cambridge Encyclopedia of Arabic Literature*. Jeddah's Literary Club, 2001.
- 12. "Baxter's First-Person Narrator: Between Mimetic Representation and Creative Expression." *King Saud University Research Center* 77 (1999): 1-106.
- 13. "A Departure and a Return: Back to Self-expression." *Abhath Al-Yarmouk* [Al-Yarmouk U, Jordan] 16.1 (1998): 9-22.
- 14. "Fate, Will and the Balance of Forces: A Theological Reading of Robert Browning's Poem 'Life in a Love.'" *Studies in English* [KSU Research Center] 59 (1996): 109-125.
- 15. "Recollections of *The Arabian Nights* and Recollections of Keats's 'Ode to a Nightingale." *Journal of King Saud University (Arts)* 8.1 (1996): 3-12.
- 16. "Timelessness in a Reversed Narrative Act: The Quest for Eternity in Baxter's *First Light*." *Occasional Papers* [CDELT, Ain Sahms U, Egypt] 22 (Summer 1996): 23-36.
- 17. "Between Two Episodes of an Eastern Tale: Charlotte Bronte as a Self-conscious Artist." *Occasional Papers* [CDELT, Ain Sahms U, Egypt] 21 (Winter 1995): 129-146.
- 18. "The Meaning of the Orient in Keats's Consciousness." *Journal of King Saud University (Arts)* 4.1 (1992): 3-23.
- 19. "The Romanticist's Sublimation in Contemporary Fiction: A Reading of Baxter's 'The Cliff." *Abhath Al-Yarmouk* [Al-Yarmouk U, Jordan] 9.2 (1991): 9-21.
- 20. "Keats's Relationship with the Orient: Early Ambivalence and Developing Control." *Journal of King Saud University (Arts)* 3.2 (1991): 187-207.
- 21. "The Detached Involvement: A Reading of *The Awkward Age*." *Journal of the College of Education* [Ain Shams U, Egypt] 14 (1990): 43-59.
- 22. Bronte's Journey to the East: The Romantic Quest in Her Fiction. Wayne State University, 1982. UMI, 1982.

Conferences:

- IGALA 8. Gender and Language / Vancouver Canada (5-7 June 2014)
- Religious Faith and Social and Applied Sciences Conference / Utah Valley University (10-12 October 2013).
- International Conference for Humanities and Education / University of South Utah (24-27 June 2013).
- Women and Education. Harris Manchester College/ Oxford (17-21 March 2013), England.
- Oxford and Cambridge Literary Symposium in London: Charles Dickens (15-17 December 2012), England.
- Paris International Congress of Humanities and Social Sciences Research (24-28 July 2012), France.
- International Congress on Education and the Humanities (18-22 June, 2012), Morgan Town, West Virginia, USA.
- Workshop at Brunel University: Leading Academics Effectively (2009), England.
- A Reading of The Rock, a paper read in The Saudi Days in the Austrian Universities (2006).
- Keynote Speaker in Textual Strategies and Post-colonial Readings (Dammam/ April 2006).
- Read many papers (15) in local seminars and conferences in KSA.

• Attended about 30 local literary, sociological, educational and religious conferences in KSA.

Theses Supervision and Theses Exam Experience:

Theses Supervision:

PhD Theses:

- 1. "Gordimer's Call for Equality: Humanistic Avowal Versus Psychological Motivation." Hend Al-Sidairy (Girls' College of Education), 2002.
- 2. "The Criminal Psychopath in the Poetry of Robert Browning." Afra Al-Shaiban (Girls' College of Education), 2007.
- 3. "Space and Negotiations for Freedom in Harriet Jacob's *Incidents in the life of a Slave Girl*." Laila Al-Ekrish, 2011.
- 4. "Dismantling the Hybrid's 'Truest Eye': Postcolonial Historical Revisionism as Colonial Discourse in the Novels of Arab Jewish Naim Kattan and Albert Memmi." Reem Al-Dakheel (PNU), 2012.
- 5. "Magical Realism in Toni Morrison's *Beloved* and Raja Alem's *Fatema*: A Comparative Study." Hanan Al-Gudhi (PNU), 2012.
- 6. "Irish Women Poets of the 20th Century and Beyond: Voices from the Margin." Maram McMullen, 2012.
- 7. "Impersonation in Postmodern Fiction: A Reading of Philip Roth's *The Human Stain*, Jeffery Eugendies's *Middle Sex* and David Mitchell's *Cloud Atlas*." Badria AlTamimi (PNU), 2013.
- 8. "'A Mansion of Many Apartments'": A Psychological Study of the Keatsian Stages of Literary Maturity." Fatima Al-Otaibi, 2014.
- 9. "The Psychology of Female Resistance in John Webster's Tragedies." Muntaha Al Manea, 2015.
- 10. "Opposition to Hegemony: Marginalized Women in Selected Works by Alice Walker, Sandra Cisneros and Susan Muaddi Darraj." Suaad Al Qhtani, 2015.
- 11. "The Trauma of the Australian and Canadian Aboriginal Stolen Generations: A Study of (Dis)Integration of Identity in Selected Plays by Ned Manning, Jane Harrison, Maria Clements, and Drew H. Taylor." Maram Samman, 2016.
- 12. "Korean-American Female Writers: Issues of Political Consciousness, Voice and Representation." Fawzia Al Harshan, 2017.
- 13. "Delineation of the Gynocritic Perspectives in Selected Plays by Marsha Norman". Aiysha Al Ahmari. (PNU), 2018.
- 14. "Texts between Two Cultures: Problems of Translation in the Arabic Versions of *Jane Eyre* and *Frankenstein* (Translations published between 1986-2012)." Hanaa Jan 2018.
- 15. "Worlding of Ahdaf Soueif: Shall the Orient and Occident Meet?" Mariam Al-Rasheed, 2018.
- 16. "Writing from Within the Caribbean: A Study of Three Saint Lucian Poets." Ghadir Malki, 2019.
- 17. "Gender, Class and Nation in 1990s Egyptian Novel." Hanaa Ayoub (in progress).
- 18. "Un-Freaking the Disabled: Representations of Disability in a Selected Picturebooks." Reham Almutairi (in progress).
- 19. "Race and Gender Intersectionality and Versatile Identity in Olympia Vernon's Novel .Najd Alfaqir (in progress).

MA Theses:

- 1. "The Quest for Separateness and Wholeness: Escape to the World of Fantasy and Art in Some of the Novels of Margaret Atwood." Lulu Hajaj.
- 2. "Thomas Moore's Contribution to the Oriental Tale: A Study of *Lalla Rookh*." Randa Al-Sheikh. 1996.
- 3. "The Interaction of Fate and Character in Some of George Eliot's Novels." Mashael Al-Sidairy. 1996.
- 4. "Gaskell's Attitude toward Women's Work: A Study of a Representative Selection of Her Novels." Hend Al-Sidairy. 1996.
- 5. "Misanthropy, Misogyny or Feminism: A Reading of a Selection of Robinson Jeffers' Narrative Poems." Nouf Al-Sidairy.
- 6. "Women in the Works of Dante Rossetti and Salvador Dali." Afra Al-Shaiban. 2004.
- 7. "Elizabeth Gaskell's Gothicism: Supernaturalism, Mystery and Suspense in Female Life." Rania Bin Duhaish, 2005.
- 8. "A Postcolonial Reading of Some of Saul Bellow's Literary Works." Ohood Anbar. 2009.
- 9. "Outcast Females and the Supernatural Gothic element in a Selection of Toni Morrison's Novels." Fawzia Harshan, 2010.
- 10. "Islamic Orientalism in Matthew Arnold's *The Sick King in Bokhara*." Zainab Al-Oublan. 2012.
- 11. "Mini-Narratives in a Selection of the Short Poems of W. B. Yeats." Sara Assiri. 2012
- 12. "John Keats's *Lamia*: A Case of Ambiguity and the Imagination's Ambivalence." Alaa Al Fagih. 2013.
- 13. "Poetry of Resistance: A Comparative Study of Mahmoud Darwish and Seamus Heaney." 2014.
- 14. "Knowledge Gaining Systems and Identity Formation in Arnold's 'The Scholar Gipsy' and Anita Desai's *Scholar and Gypsy*: A Postcolonial Perspective". Moodey Al Sedairy, 2016.

Theses Exams:

PhD Theses:

- 1. "The Animal Story in English Children's Literature (1901-1950)." Sabah Aisawee. Dammam U, 1995.
- 2. A Thesis on Tony Morrison. Zainab Al Suhaibany, PNU.
- 3. Amiri Baraka, Derek Walcott, and Kamu Brathwaite. Alya Budr. Dammam U.
- 4. "A Contextual Interpretation of George Moore's Novels."
- 5. "Image of Women in Irish Drama 1894-1990." Lyla Al-Saedy. Um AlQura, 2006.
- 6. "The American Dream in Edward Albee and Sam Shepherd." Amany Al-Tunisy. Um AlQura, 2006.
- 7. "The Female Image in Selected Plays by Harold Pinter." Shunaifa Al-Gurny. KKU, 2008.
- 8. "Identity and Modernity in Joy Harjo and Rita Dove." Nujma Al-Thubaity. PNU, 2009
- 9. "Prison Poetry: A Comparative Study of Irish and Arabic Literature, Sands and Darwish." Haila Al-khalaph. PNU, 2010.
- 10. "Otherness Contested: A Lacanian Reading of Herman Melville's *Clarel*." Nora Al-Malek. KAU, 2010.

- 11. "Mary Oliver: An Ecopsychological Analysis of Her Poetry." Nora Al-Saeed. KAU, 2010.
- 12. "The Image of the Psychosomatic Woman in Carson McCuller's Fiction." Eman Asiri. KKU, 2013.
- 13. "Arabo-Islamic Cultural Manifestation in the Works of Leila Aboulela, an Arab Writer in English." Rania Bin- Dahaish, KSU, 2017.
- 14. "The Role of Gender, Race and Religion in Shaping the Identity of the Contemporary Muslim Arab-American Woman in the Works of Mohja Kahf." Manal Al-Rzoog. KSU. 2017.
- 15. An Orientalist Reading of Selected Novels of Zoe Ferraris. Raweya Al Zahrany. IMU, 2018.
- 16. "Feminism and Neo-Orientalism: Relocating the Young Muslim Female in Selected Arab-Australian Novels." Shahida Al-Muharib. IMU, 2019.
- 17. "Transcending the Gap Between Stage and Audience: A Structural Approach to Brian Friel's Major Plays." Moodi Fadgam Wesahim. IMU, 2019.
- 18. "Turkish Identity and the East/West Dichotomy in Select Novels by Turkish Authors Orhan Pamuk and Elif Shafak." Haifa Al Twaijry. KSU, 2020.
- 19. "Regression and Self-destruction: F.S. Fitzgerald's *The Great Gatsby*, Toni Morrison's *Sula*, and Jane Bowles's *Two Serious Ladies* as Bildungsroman Novels". Afaf Farhan Onaizy. IMU, 2021.
- 20. "Shattered Structures: Reading Trauma in Selected Novels by Toni Morrison." Rasha Hamad Almenieeir. IMU, 2021.
- 21. "Feminism in Reverse in the Works of John Fowles." Manhal Al-Frayh. IMU, 2021.
- 22. Deconstructing Stereotypical Representations of the Orient in Don DeLillo's Novels. Mashael Alshumaisi. IMU, 2022.
- 23. "The Psychology of Evil in Selected Works of Edgar Allen Poe." Areej Al Omar. IMU, 2022.
- 24. "Class Struggle, Hegemony and the Alienation of the Modern Man in Franz Kafka's Works." Mada Al Ghufaili. IMU, 2022.

MA Theses Exams:

- 1. A Thesis on Sherwood Anderson and Willa Cather
- 2. A Thesis on T. S. Eliot.
- 3. A Thesis on Katherine Mansfield.
- 4. J.D. Salinger, William Golding and Frances Burnet.
- 5. "Decenterment in Characterization in Sinclair Lewis' *Main Street* and *Babbit*: A Deconstructive Reading." Jamila Majrady, 2008.
- 6. Lord Byron's Turkish Heroines. Mona Balawy.
- 7. "Mona Simpson's Characterization of Women and Men in Her Novel *Anywhere But Here*." Manal Al-Rzoog, 2008.
- 8. "Inviting the Self and the Other to 'the Common Ground': A Feminist, Post-colonial Reading of Selected Works by Ahdaf Soueif." Suad Alqahtani. 2009.
- 9. "Self-image in the Poetry of Maya Angelou." Najwa Al Sadidi.
- 10. "The Devil in Paradise Lost and Arabic Poetry."
- 11. "Anne Bradstreet's Quest for Spiritual Solace." Naser Beshri.
- 12. "Yeats's Dreams as Intentionality and the *Four Plays for Dancers*." Khamsah Al-Farhan, 2011.
- 13. "Reconstructing Aphra Behn: A New Historicist Approach to Selected Plays." Mai Al-Balushi, 2014.
- 14. Waiting for Godit. Amjad Al-Shalan, 2014.

- 15. "Psychologizing Keats: Fantasy, Reality and the Unconscious". Nayef Al-Samrani, 2014.
- 16. "Building a Gateway to the American Culture: August Wilson and *Radio Gulf.*" Nora Al-Zahrani, 2014.
- 17. "Language Displacement and Cultural Identity Crisis in Shaw's *Pygmalion* and Brian Friels's *Translation:* A Postcolonial Study." Sita Al-Quhatani, 2014.
- 18. "The Faustian Existential Complex in Marlowe's *Tragic History of Doctor Faustus*." Mashael Al-Ameer, 2014.
- 19. "The Journey from Earthly Love to Heavenly Devotion in the Poetry of Edmund Spenser and Jalaluddin Rumi: A Comparative Study." Naifa Al Mutairi, 2014.
- 20. "Class and Gender Negotiations in Edith Wharton's *The House of Mirth*, *The Age of Innocence* and *Ethan Frome*." Mashael Al-Sudais, 2015.
- 21. "Female Artist and Isolation: A Feminist Analysis of Tennyson's 'Mariana' and 'The Lady of Shalott." Sarah Al Haidar, 2015.
- 22. "An Ecocritical Reading of Selected Novels by Liam O'Flaherty." Amal Ayed Al-Qahtani, 2015.

Teaching Experience:

Teaching the following courses at KSU and other local institutions:

PhD Courses:

- 1. Issues in Literary Theory and Criticism
- 2. Issues in Poetry: Traditional & Postcolonial
- 3. Issues in the Novel: Postcolonial Readings in the Novel
- 4. Special Poet (Robert Browning)
- 5. Special Subject: The American Novel (1900-1950)
- 6. American Literature (1620-1914).
- 7. Contemporary Female American Poets.

MA Courses:

- 1. Modern Schools of Criticism
- 2. Research Methodology in Literary Studies.
- 3. 18th Century and Romantic Literature
- 4. Victorian and Modern Literature
- 5. Nineteenth-Century British Novel
- 6. Modern British Novel.
- 7. Special Subject (Pre-Raphaelite Poetry)
- 8. Special Author (Dante Rossetti)
- 9. Special 19th Century Author (George Eliot, Elizabeth Gaskell)
- 10. The Art of Fiction (Henry James, Charles Baxter)
- 11. John Milton.
- 12. Postcolonial Theory and Criticism.
- 13. American Poetry: 19th and 20th Centuries.

BA Courses:

- 1. Victorian Poetry
- 2. Romantic Poetry
- 3. 19th Century British Novel
- 4. Special 19th Century Author (Charlotte Bronte)
- 5. A Major Romantic Poet (John Keats, William Wordsworth)
- 6. Short Thesis (Various Topics and Authors)
- 7. History of Literary Criticism (1)
- 8. History of Literary Criticism (2)

Administrative Experience:

- 1. Vice-Dean of the Graduate School, KSU (2002-2010)
- 2. Deputy-Head of the English Department, KSU (1990-97)
- 3. Vice-Dean of the Graduate School, KSU (1987-89)
- 4. Vice-Dean of the Girls' University Center (Colleges of Arts, Education and Administrative Sciences), KSU (1985-87)
- 5. Deputy-Head of the English Department, KSU (1984-85)

Community Service/Local and Arab World:

- 1. Participation in viva committees for 15 PhD and 10 MA theses in universities in the kingdom (Dammam, Riyadh, Makkah, AlMadina, Jeddah, Abha).
- 2. Evaluate New MA and PhD programs at local universities.
- 3. Evaluate faculty research for promotion to the rank of professor and associate professor in KSA and Jordan.
- 4. Review faculty research for publication in KSA, Jordan, and Kuwait.
- 5. Review books for King Abdullah's Award Organization for Translation.
- 6. A board member for Arab World English Journal in Singapore.